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REMARKS***Allowable Subject Matter***

The Examiner has stated that Claim 15 would be allowable if written in independent form including all limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.


To overcome the outstanding rejections, limitations of claim 15 and intervening claim 14 have now been incorporated in the independent claims 1 and 25. The dependent claims 2-4, 14 and 15 have been canceled. Claim 26 was amended to depend from claim 1. As a result, it respectfully submitted that all the claims depending from the independent claims 1 and 25 are also in a condition for allowance.

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing claim amendments and remarks, Applicants believe that this application stands in condition for allowance with withdrawal of all grounds of rejection. A Notice of Allowance is respectfully solicited. If the Examiner has questions regarding the application or the contents of this response, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' representative at the telephone number below.

In view of the foregoing, allowance of the above-referenced application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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